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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2006, Applicant submits this amendment. Kindly enter the amendment.

Amendment to the Specification: none

Amendment to the Claims: begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings: none

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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